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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

2833 Group: Confirmation No.: 6873 Application No.: 10/743,203 Invention: REMOTE HIGH VOLTAGE SPLITTER BLOCK Brian E. Gorrell, et al. Applicant: Filed: December 22, 2003 Attorney Docket: 3030-73043

Larisa Z. Tsukerman

PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Examiner:

Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee for filing this petition for extension of time to Applicants' undersigned counsel's deposit account 10-0435 with reference to file 3030-73043. A duplicate copy of this authorization is enclosed.

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Accordingly, Applicants submit that this application is in condition for favorable consideration, culminating in allowance. Such action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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